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One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,644,651, published July 1, 1997.
2. European Patent Application No. 0383269-A2, published August 22, 1990.

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Complete English translations of foreign language documents are being submitted herewith, and therefore no concise explanation for such foreign language documents is required.

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